

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Kenneth E. Feuerman
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Art Unit : 2176
Examiner : Quoc A. Tran
Conf. No. : 6257

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

The applicant's representative, Brenda Leeds Binder of Fish & Richardson PC, conducted a telephonic interview with Examiner Tran on October 16, 2007. The amendments last submitted by the applicant were discussed, in particular the amendments to claims 1 and 12. The Examiner indicated that he would investigate whether the amendment to recite "audio signals" in claims 1 and 12 would raise a section 101 issue, and if so he would provide a recommendation for overcoming such a rejection. Claim 1 was discussed in terms of the Gupta (US2007/0011206) and Dodrill (6,766,298) prior art references. The Examiner seemed to agree, at least on a preliminary basis, that the amendments to claim 1 overcame the prior art rejections. However, he did indicate he would be performing an additional search. No agreement was reached. Examiner Tran agreed to follow-up with the applicant's representative when he was examining the last filed amendment.

No fees are due, however, please apply any charges or credits to deposit account 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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